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Ms. Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
236 Massachusetts Avenue, NE
Suite #I 10
Washington, DC 20002

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

*Re: Proposal of Wireless Communications Association International, National ITFS Association and Catholic Television Network for Revisions to MDS and ITFS Rules—
RM-10586*—NOTICE OF EX PARTE PRESENTATION

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Yesterday, I spoke by phone with Peter Tenhula, Chair of the FCC Spectrum Taskforce, on behalf of the ITFS Spectrum Alliance ("the Alliance"). I spoke with him to clarify the Alliance's position on the October 7, 2002 White Paper filed by WCA, NIA and CTN proposing a revised regulatory regime for the Multipoint Distribution Service ("MDS") and the Instructional Television Fixed Service ("ITFS") and the comments filed on November 14, 2002 by the ITFS Spectrum Development Alliance. In addition, I sought clarification on several points raised with the Wireless Bureau during our meetings at the FCC on January 28, 2003.

Should you have any question regarding this notice please contact the undersigned

Respectfully submitted,



Leslie A. Harris
President

cc: Peter Tenhula

¹ The ITFS Spectrum Alliance, Inc. was formed in 1999. The Alliance is composed of seven organizations that are licensed to operate ITFS systems in almost 100 communities nationwide. The Alliance is a non-profit organization intended to provide member licensees with the full complement of technical and business representation to convert successfully to digital-two-way operations.